

Wednesday, July 19, 1995

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHT

House passed Treasury-Postal Service appropriations bill.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1050 and 1051, and S. Res. 154.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 1817, making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 104–116)

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Bosnia/Herzegovina Self-Defense Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 21, to terminate the United States arms embargo applicable to the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Pending:

Dole Amendment No. 1801, in the nature of a substitute.

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Thomas R. Bloom, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of Education.

Jill L. Long, of Indiana, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Sidney R. Thomas, of Montana, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

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Recess: Senate convened at 9 a.m., and recessed at 9:01 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Thursday, July 20, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's RECORD on pages S10324–25.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported, with amendments, H.R. 1817, making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996.

LIVESTOCK GRAZING ACT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, S. 852, to modify the requirements applicable to the management of livestock grazing on public lands and to establish a grazing fee formula that will bring a fair return to the Federal Government.

WETLANDS REGULATORY REFORM

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety held oversight hearings on the implementation of Section 404 (to provide regulatory protection for wetlands) of S. 851, to reform the Section 404 wetlands permitting program under the Clean Water Act to focus Federal regulatory authority on functioning wetlands and to ensure that citizens can obtain permits within a reasonable period of time, receiving testimony from Senators Murkowski, Johnston, and Pressler; Representative Gilchrest; John Zirschky, Acting Assistant Secretary